



STATE OF THE

ORGANIZATION

2024

PROGRESS AND MILESTONES

MEMBERSHIP

- Updated Code of Conduct
- Developed membership approval process
- “Let's Talk About It” webinar series
- Working on “Value of Membership”

278

New HOH Memberships

3033

Total HOH Memberships

7179

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FINANCIAL OVERVIEW

	Oct 2023 - Apr 2024		Oct 2023 - Apr 2024
Income		6900 Officers Expenses	-
4030 Contributions Income	415,480	6990 Committee Expenses	13,524
4090 Membership Dues	25,143	6999 Funding Prioritization	1,790
4140 Conference Income	231,700	Total Expenses	358,664
4150 Miscellaneous Income	186	Net Operating Income	313,846
Total Income	672,510	Other Income	
Expenses		Total Other Income	84,021
5001 Conference Expenses	101,636	Other Expenses	
5100 Program Services (Grants)	123,474	8010 Other Expenses	496
6000 Administration Expenses	118,063	Total Other Expenses	496
6800 Donor Management / Fundraising	177	Net Other Income	83,525
		Net Income	397,371



DEVELOPMENT



\$109,000 - Corporate Sponsorship

\$65,000 - Annual Giving Campaign

\$25,000 - New Grants Received

\$23,000 - Inaugural Walk and Roll

ADVOCACY EFFORTS

- Dwarfism Pride Flag
- Legislation Committee
- ADA Watch Coalition
- Updated Advocacy Webpage
 - Increased resources
 - Building Advocacy Toolkits
- Advocacy Efforts
 - Sonoma County Fair
 - Discovery Channel
- Dwarfism Awareness Month
 - DAM T-shirts
 - Take Over Tuesdays
 - Virtual Discussions





INCLUSION

IDEA Statement and Commitments

Cultural Calendar for Volunteers

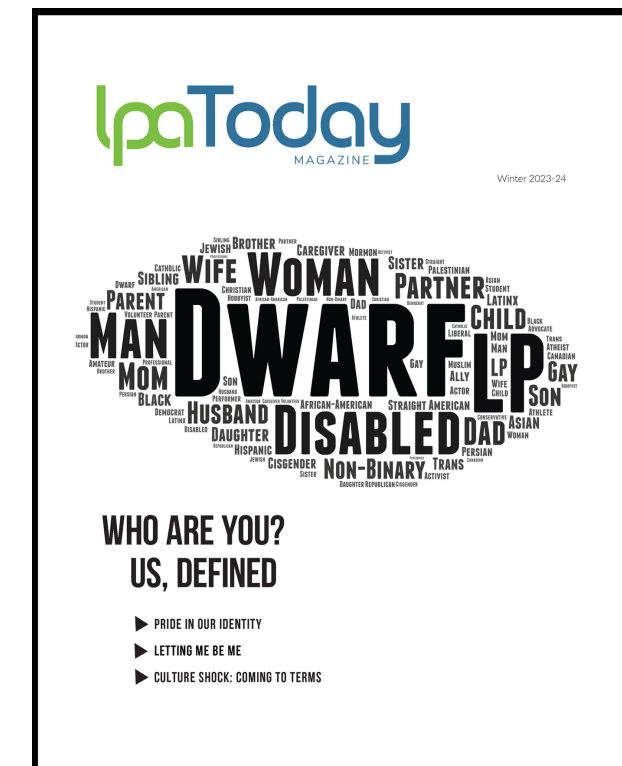
Conference Hotel Measurement & Accessibility Handout

CART at Conference

Calm Space at Conference

PUBLIC RELATIONS

- LPA Today - tackle topics needing to be discussed
- Updated Conference Media Agreement
- Letter to Discovery – Big Little Brawler Series
- LA Times Featured Article - Sonoma County Fair
- Good Morning America Piece

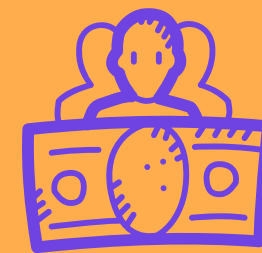


PROGRAMS



SCHOLARSHIPS

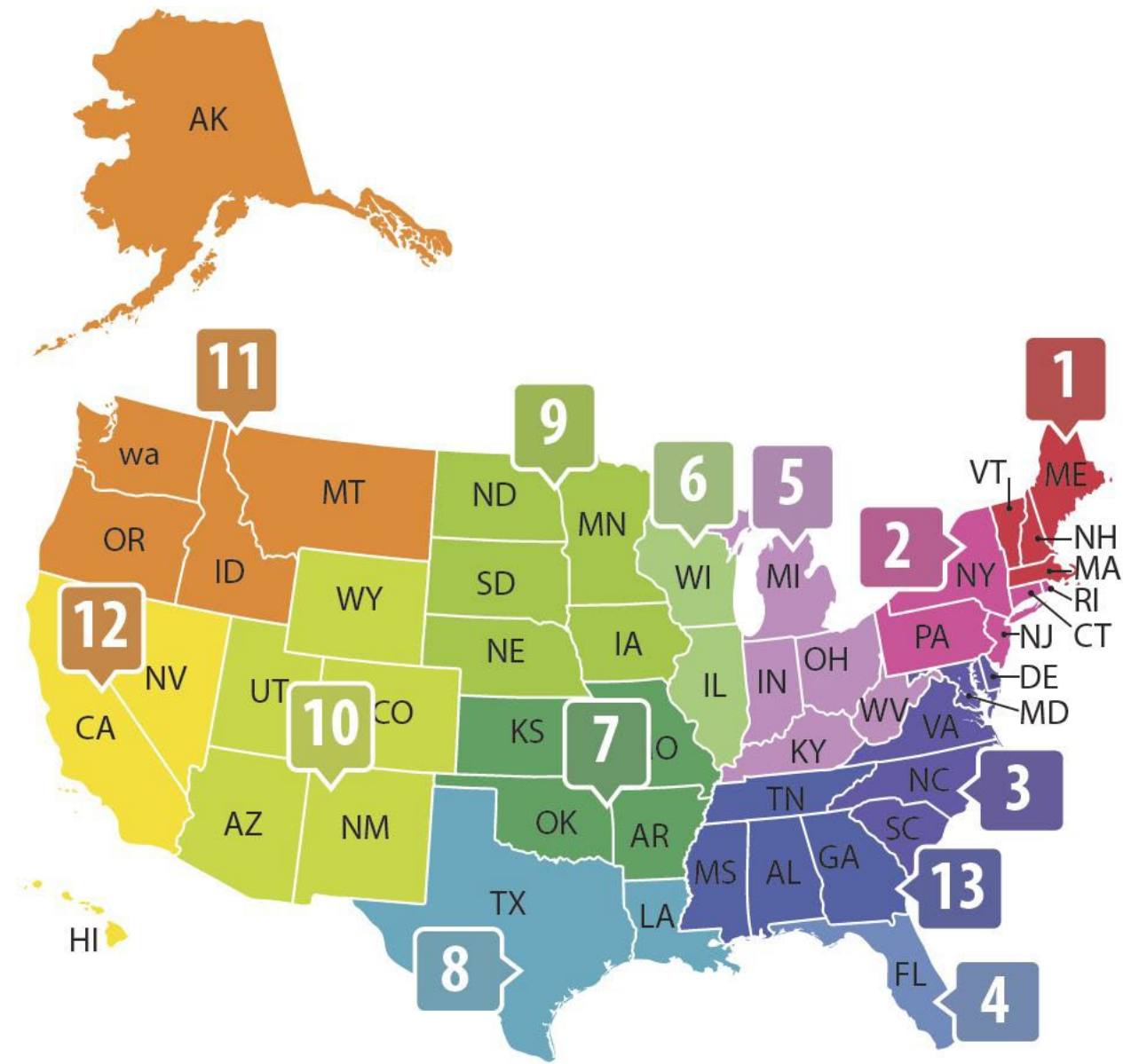
\$70,900 Total Scholarships Awarded
\$43,400 Undergraduate
\$27,500 Graduate scholarships



1st TIMER TRAVEL GRANTS

Fernandez - 14 Grants to Adult LPs
Kitchens - 25 Grants to Families

REGIONAL REPRESENTATION



- District Support – Fall & Spring Regionals
- Conducted District Elections
- Local Support - Advocacy against M-slur Wrestling Shows
 - Successfully resulted in one show being
- Volunteers, Staff, Regional Reps developed Chapter Officer Handbook

ARCHIVES

Virtual Museum Project

Year 1 of 3

- PM – Jessica Savage Cronin
- Oral Interviews – 52 interviews
 - 37 at end of 2023 Conference
 - 15 being conducted in Baltimore
 - Current Focus – members 50+ yrs, all districts
- Digitization of Content
- RFP for Database/Website Design



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LPA Archive

We are stepping into an exciting new phase! Thanks to the support of our members, we are able to create a digital space where LPA members and the general public can access the LPA Archive. This digital museum will include a robust database of the LPA Archive. The LPA Archive is already underway.

What You'll Find in the Digital Museum

In late 2020, the LPA Archive began filming a collection of oral histories from members at national and regional meetings. We plan to complete 72 video histories in the next year. The LPA Archive's Oral Histories Project will be a major feature of the digital museum. Below are some of the oral histories we have already collected, below.

